



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5234

LCO No. 890

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION

Introduced by:
REP. CUEVAS, 75th Dist.

***AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE
CONNECTICUT JUNIOR REPUBLIC IN WATERBURY.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the State Bond Commission be empowered to authorize the
- 2 issuance of bonds of the state in accordance with section 3-20 of the
- 3 general statutes, in principal amounts not exceeding in the aggregate
- 4 two hundred fifty thousand dollars, the proceeds of which shall be
- 5 used by the Department of Education for the purpose of providing a
- 6 grant-in-aid to the Connecticut Junior Republic in Waterbury to
- 7 provide a two-year after-school, evening and summer college
- 8 preparation initiative for minority students.

Statement of Purpose:

To authorize bonds of the state for a college prep initiative for minority students, preparing them to take SATs and college entrance exams, in an effort to expedite the transition into college level courses.